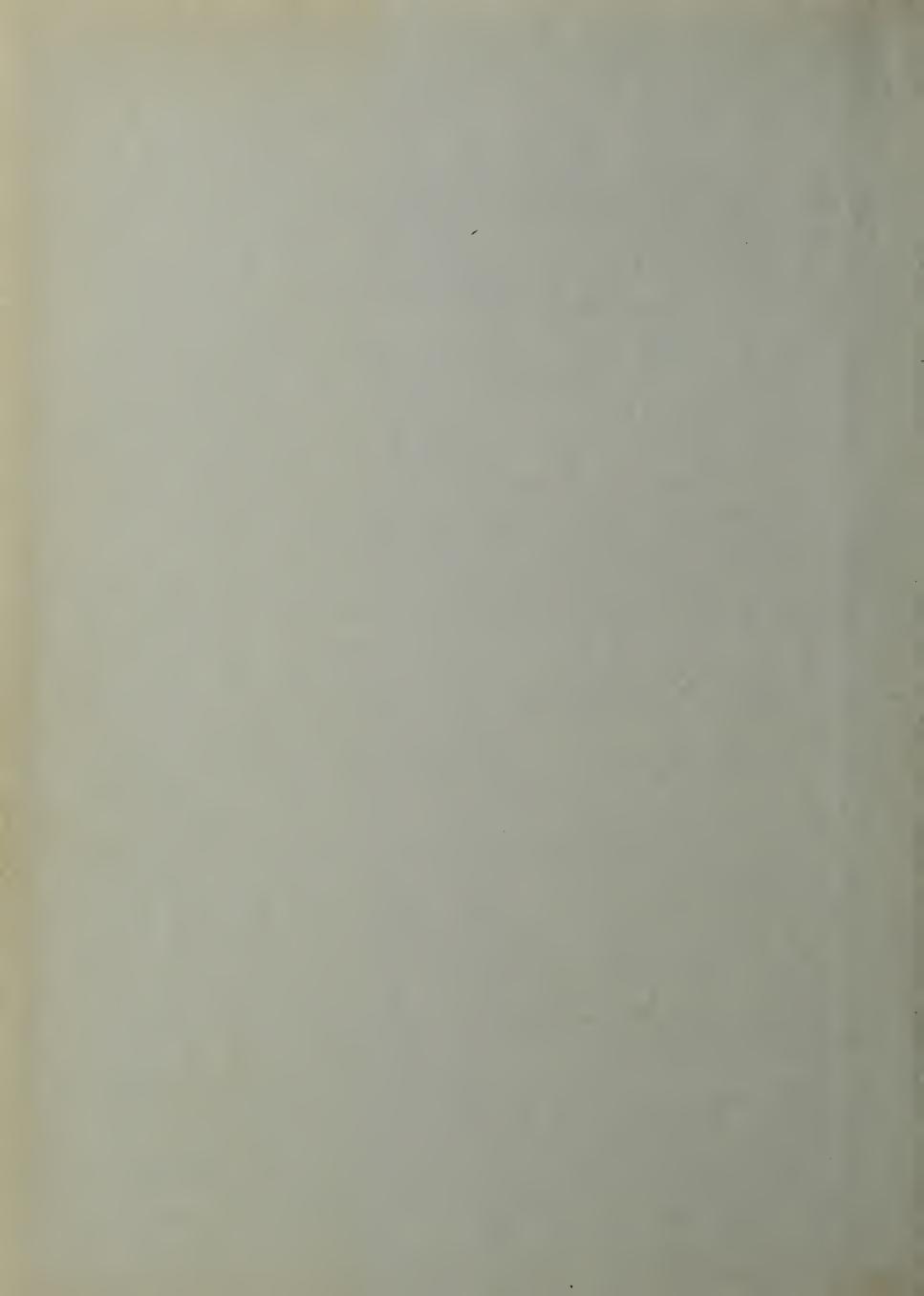
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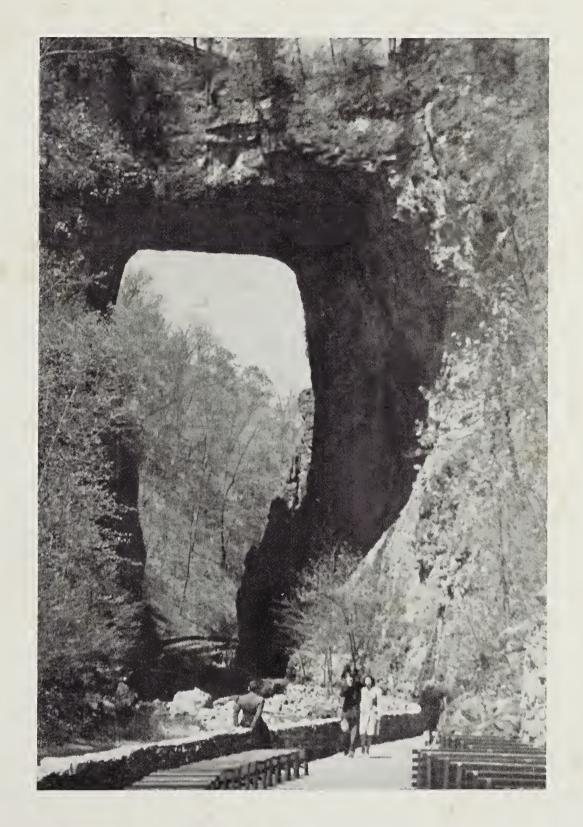
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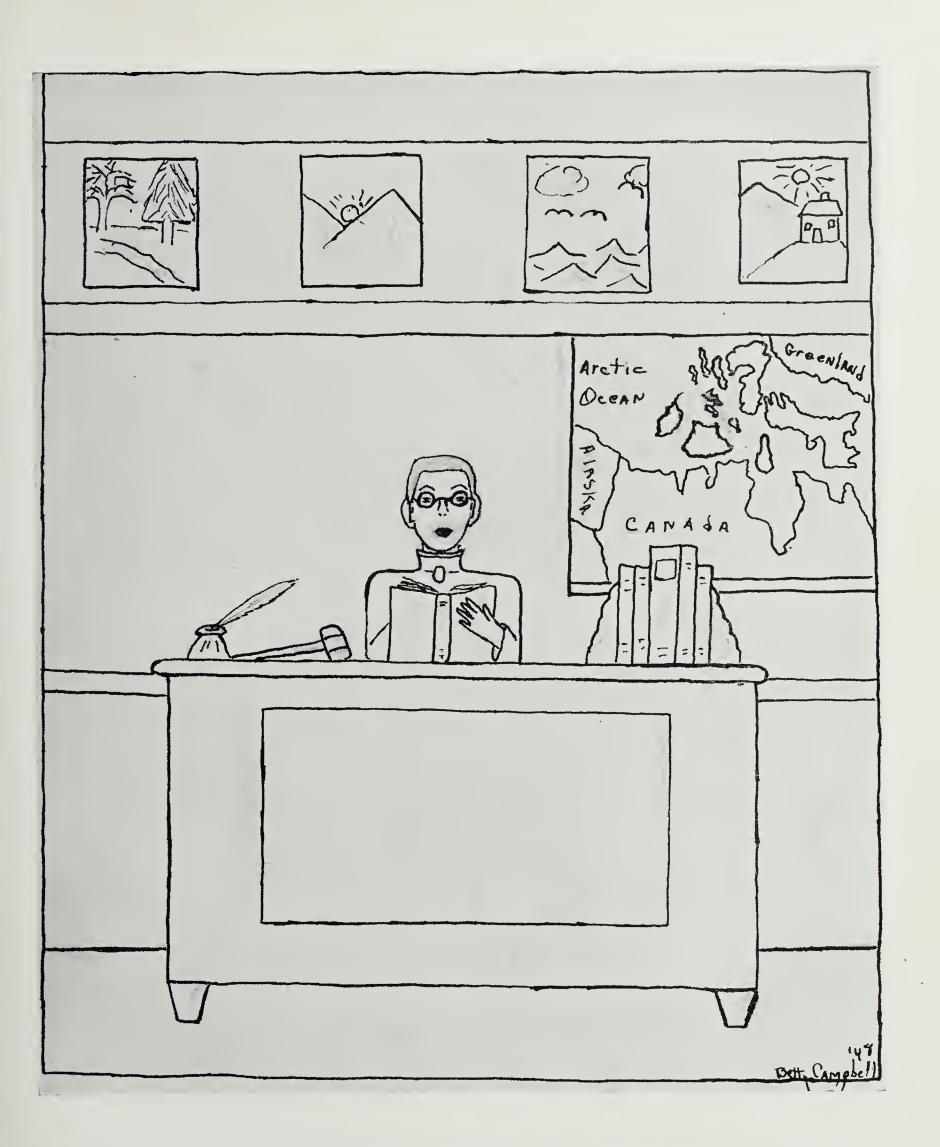
Guarded by encircling mountains beautiful and blue,
Stands our noble ALMA MATER, glorious to view,
Lift thy chorus, speed it onward,
Ne'er let praises fail,
Hail to Thee, our ALMA MATER,
Natural Bridge High School, Hail.

FOREWORD

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The past four years have been happy, busy ones for the Class of 1948. As we come to the close of our "happy, carefree school days," we wish to have before us a reminder of our years spent here. This ninth volume of the Span has been compiled for the purpose of leaving with the students cherished memories of Natural Bridge.

In addition to presenting the light side, we have tried to give a picture of the varied opportunities open to all at our Alma Mater.



ADMINISTRATION

THE FACULTY



Mr. H. K. Reveley

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M. A. William and Mary, 1947

Chemistry

Mr Robert Childress

Assistant Principal

B. S. Civil Engineering, V. M. I.

Athletic Director

Mathematics



THE FACULTY



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Westhampton College
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Anges Scott College
Bible

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Mrs. Virginia Tardy, B. S. In Home Economics, Madison College Home Economics

Miss Jean White, A. B. Westhampton College
Mathematics, Science

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MAXINE WATTS Secretary







DOROTHY SMILEY Reporter

WILLIAM NEWELL Senior



Joe Perkins President

THOMAS BRANCH Vice-President



EDWIN OSBORNE Freshman-B

Marguerite Swartz Sophomore



AIMS and PURPOSES First—Citizenship Second—Cooperation Third—Health



Edison Birmingham Sophomore

ROY C. WATTS Eight-B



FOURTH—Recreation Fifth—Self-Improvement



Barbara Cash Freshman-A

James Firebaugh



"The School Community Growing Together'

OBLIGATION

SLOGAN:



Freshman-A

On my honor I will seek: To serve my school and my community;



SAM BLACKBURN Eight-A

PATSY FRANCIS Eight-A



To live the truth and keep faith with knowledge;

To promote education as the right of

To labor for the advancement of Virginia, to bring no reproach upon her, and to emulate those who made her great among the nations by their loyalty to honor her;

To prepare myself in body, mind,

and spirit for my duty;

every child; .



HELEN JOHNSON Eight-B

Mrs. Hodges Sponsor



To remember that as a citizen of the United States, I owe allegiance to the nation and to freedom, democracy and progress among men.



Mr. Childress Sponsor

Accomplishment of 1947-48 Student Government

Due to the addition of the eighth grade, the constitution of the Student Government had to be amended before the officers for the year could be elected. An amendment was adapted to provide that the President should be elected from the highest class and the vice-president from the second highest class.

Joe Perkins, Maxine Watts, and Boyd Mitchell, were candidates for president, and Thomas Branch, Marguerite Swartz, and Charles Gregory were the candidates for vice-president. Campaign posters and speeches flooded NBHS for the week preceding election. When the fateful day came, the students carried on a regular election with voting booth, ballots, and judges. The polls were kept open all day. Joe Perkins and Thomas Branch were the lucky winners.

The installation ceremony was held in the auditorium and followed a plan given in the state S.C.A. handbook. Mrs. Hodges acted as the installation officer and read the obligation, which the participants repeated after her. The President was given a white candle representing pure and shining leadership, the Vice-President was given a red candle representing joy and strength; the Secretary was given a yellow candle, the Golden Torch of Service; the Reporter was given a violet candle, representing wisdom and truth, and the representatives were given the blue candles representing Wisdom and Justice.

Several committees were appointed by the newly elected president. This resulted in establishing monitors on the front walk and on the road in the afternoon, also in the halls a the end of each period. The Student Government tried a new plan for getting the classes to keep their homerooms clean, and it worked! The committee made out a chart of ten items to be checked, each item counting ten points. Of course, no room had a perfect score of 100 points, but some real progress was made. A satisfactory new dismissal plan was also put into effect.

After the basketball season, the council sponsored a play, "My Wife's Family," and a basketball game between the boys and girls. This game was followed by a cake-walk. The proceeds were given to the school fund.

The 1947-48 Student Council became a banner organization by becoming affiliated with the State S.C.A. Joe Perkins and Thomas Branch were chosen as delegates to the State Convention at Fredericksburg. They returned with many new ideas for a better Student Government.

At the beginning of the year, the council found themselves with two constitutions, so they had to combine them into one. Joe Perkins, Maxine Watts, Marguerite Swartz, Helen Johnson, and Barbara Jean Cash rewrote the constitution.

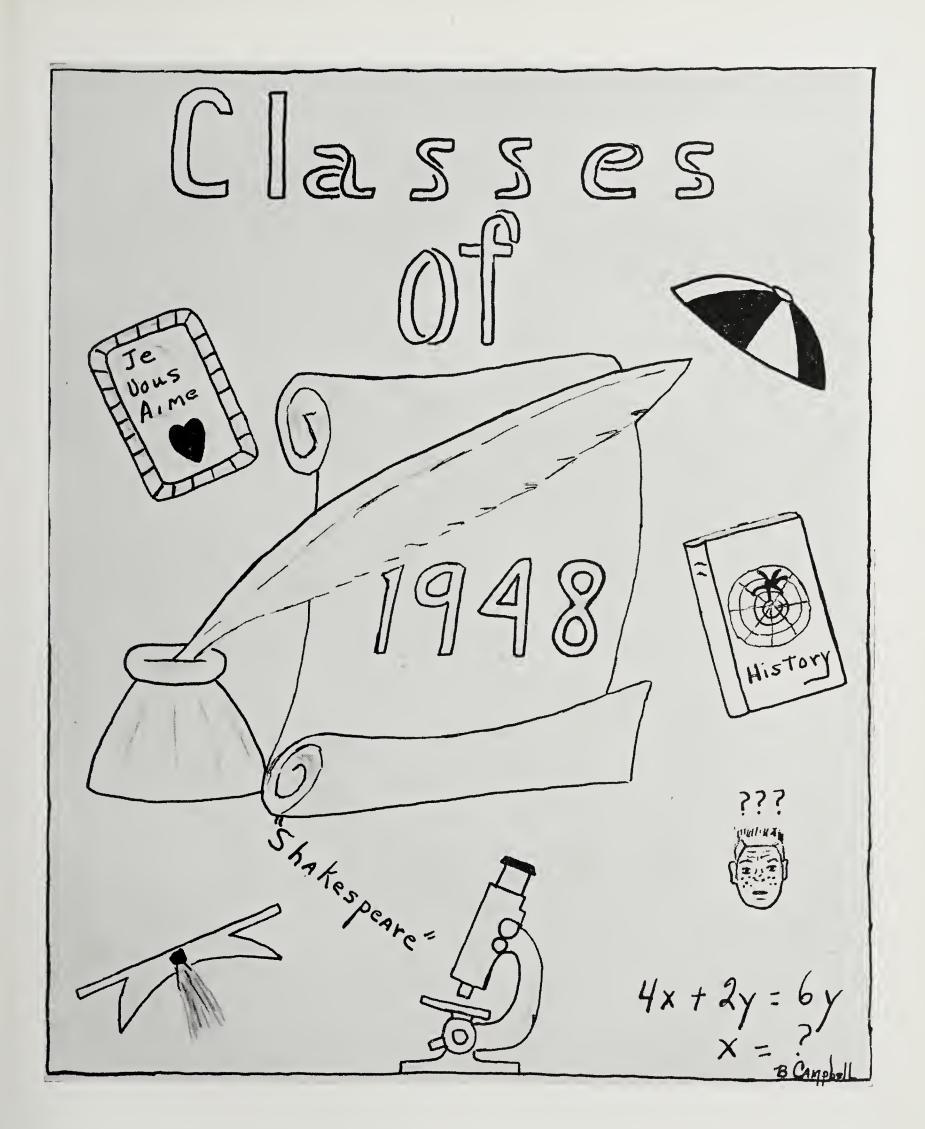
The council members have been very fortunate this year in having Mrs. Hodges and Mr. Childress as faculty advisors. They have shown in a real way their interest in the students. Under the leadership of the faculty advisors, and with the cooperation of each representative and the Student Body, the Student Government of Natural Bridge High School has had a very successful year.



DEDICATION...



We, the SENIOR CLASS
of NATURAL BRIDGE HIGH SCHOOL
wish to show our deep appreciation
to Miss Cynthia Knipp, who has
shown her devotion and kindness
to us and the school. To her
we gratefully dedicate this
NINTH VOLUME of The Span.





OFFICERS

President	Boyd Mitchell
Vice-President	Joe Perkins
Secretary	BETTY CAMPBELL
Treasurer	MAXINE WATTS
Sponsor	Miss Cynthia Knipp

BERNICE ALTIZER

A smile is always on her face to help lighten the burdens of a weary world!



EDWIN BARE
"The Viking" complete with the blond hair and blue eyes.

RUDOLPH CLAYTOR

"Pleasure fills his youthful years; drop study, if it interferes."

BETTY CAMPBELL

"If eyes were made for seeing, then Beauty is its own excuse for being."

TOBY GARRETT

"Rather outspoken, not meaning a word of it. Always trying to pull some boyish prank on someone."

VIRGINIA CLAYTOR

"Sis has eyes that sparkle at will, feet that fly across a basketball eourt, and a personality that elicks."

me of my leachers.











"Friendly . . . helpful . . . willing . . . Always ready to tackle any job and do a good job."

WERT FAULKNER

"A wit with dunces, and a dunce with wit. We have yet to see him downhearted or pessimistic."

MILDRED CLAYTOR

"As funny as a rubber crutch, talks incessantly with little to say but everybody loves to hear it. Will be remembered as the wonderful basketball player."

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EDWIN GROW

"Caboose, but a likeable one with a faculty for putting off today what you can do tomorrow."

Peggy Conner

"A gentle manner, unaffected mind, lover of peace, and friend of human kind."



Jackie Hannah

"His ability to blush proves a true sign of manhood.

James McCullough

"Tall, quiet, and a gentleman, while a trifle lazy on the side. He will always be remembered as a swell football player."

Jane your and a surveyed

RUBY FAINTER

"That meek voice that sounds far, far away usually belongs to this mademoiselle . Conscientious, serious girl. She can also let herself go.

HENRY MILLER

"Small, but mighty in his athleties . . . ladies' man if there

ever was one.'











"Honest, sineere, and unselfish, she will make friends wherever she goes."

MARGARET HARRISON

strive for . . . quiet . . . de-pendable — both accompanied by sense and good looks.'

BOYD MITCHELL

"Cheeks the color women

HELEN HUFFMAN

"The picture of timidness is bestowed upon her, but she has a winning way."



WILLIAM NEWELL

"Loud, but dignified, voted the most athletic in the Senior room, and fulfilling this position."

Joe Perkins

"Sincerity and brevity are his main characteristics—the true statue of dignity."



RUBY LARUE

"I would my horse had the speed of your tongue and so good a continuer."

JEAN LEECH

"A little hard to understand but well worth understanding."



LOYD THOMPSON

"He has the name of being the smallest boy in the Senior room, but he takes it and smiles."

LEONARD TOLLEY

"Attractive, indifferent and lovable in his own sort of way."



EDITH Mc MANAMAY

"Has made her reputation as a good-natured, hard working girl."



NORVELL WOOWARD

"Better known as 'Buzzard,' he is well liked by all who know him."



Bessie Reynolds

"A little on the serious side, but willing to give a helping hand on every task set before her."

Mary Moore

"A true pal, always willing to help in any hidertaking. Her winning spile and pleasing ways with for her many friends at N. B. H. S."





DOROTHY SLOUGH

"She is tall and slender with dignified manner; very lov-able."

Laura Leigh Riley

"Always langhing, always jolly, always full of fun and





MAXINE WATTS

"Short but sweet, for inches do not make the girl."

Hanks for helping me

MARIAN THOMPSON

"She's a girl with a heart and a smile, that makes the bubbles of life worth while." mo grand of a suglar



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THE CLASS HISTORY

Did you know that we're out in the wide, wide world? We graduated today! And what memories we'll cherish at N. B. H. S.!

Natural Bridge, Va. June 2, 1948

Dear Gang:

In the fall of 1944 we arrived at school as meek and frightened freshmen. We were hurried in to the auditorium, where we listened to a long "welcome" speech by our principal, Mr. Strickler. We 65 freshmen were then divided alphabetically into two sections. Miss Smith took over Section A and Mrs. Moore, Section B. Student Council representatives were elected as follows: A—Corrine Austin, Wallace Hickman; B—Edith McManamay, John Smith. Many times during the first part of the year Section A was minus a homeroom teacher, but the last half of the year Mrs. Franklin Francis took over the class. In the way of entertainment, we "mice" were given a party under the direction of Mrs. Moore.

Our haphazard second year was spent in room 201, under the watchful eyes of Mr. Ted Lloyd, and later Mr. Tommy Lauderdale. Because of unsettled conditions of the school, about ten of the sophomore girls spent the winter with Mrs. Moore. How we missed 'em! At the beginning of the year Corrine and Boyd were elected Student Council Representatives . . . Although nothing in the form of parties highlighted our sophomore year, we were constantly entertained by the antics of Wert Faulkner and Wallace Hickman.

Our Junior year was opened by the election of class officers: Price Hodges, President; Boyd Mitchell, Vice-President; Betty Campbell, Secretary; and Eddie Grow, Treasurer. Corrine and Joe were elected Student Council Representatives. This year added Betty Goodwin to our roll, but she was soon married and left us. Nobody liked us! As soon as we got settled with one teacher, she left, and in came a new one. Mrs. White was first, followed by "Old Faithful," Mrs. Ethel Moore, and then last, but not least, Mrs. Clayton. We were very sorry to lose one of our classmates, Nat Massie, to the Navy. On April 11 we gave the Seniors of '47 their annual prom. It turned out to be the most successful party of the year, thanks to the hard work of our entire junior class.

Yea! We were Seniors at last. Thirty-four of us took on the work of the wholesome last year of high school. . . . The Senior Class was kept busy raising money for the annual trip. Activities included a cake walk, dances, etc. The Seniors had decided to become radio stars! On March 21 a group of us went to Lynchburg to appear on Station WLVA on a musical program. . . . The entire class enjoyed the party given them by the sophomores. . . . The annual play was a riot! . . . Our banquet was a very formal affair with all the frills and laces of the girls and the bow ties of our handsome boys.

Well, here it is June 2, 1948—the day we have waited for these many years—the day that we receive our diplomas! . . . Sniff! Sniff! So long to our old Alma mater. We will never forget you.

Fondly,

SENIORS OF '48

LUCKY ONES



LUCKY ONES

BEST LOOKING—BETTY CAMPBELL AND BOYD MITCHELL

"Betty and Boyd take the prize— They're the Best Looking in our eyes."

MOST ATTRACTIVE—Maxine Watts and Leonard Tolley

"Maxine and Leonard are the two to mention. They have charm and skill to win attention."

3. MOST DEPENDABLE—Mary Moore and Joe Perkins

"Give them a little work to do, And Mary and Joe will carry it through."

4. MOST POPULAR—BETTY CAMPBELL AND WERT FAULKNER

"Betty and Wert are always there, Because they are the Most Popular pair."

5. MOST STUDIOUS—Maxine Watts and Joe Perkins

"The Most Studious are Maxine and Joe; When it comes to them they really glow."

6. MOST ATHLETIC—JEAN LEECH AND WILLIAM NEWELL

'Jean Lecch and William Newell, They're the athletes in our rural."

BEST ALL-AROUND—EDITH McManamay and Joe Perkins

"Edith and Joe without a sound, Have the name of being Best All-Around."

CUTEST—BETTY CAMPBELL AND HENRY MILLER

"Henry the little laddie and Betty the little lass, They're the Cutest students in our big class."

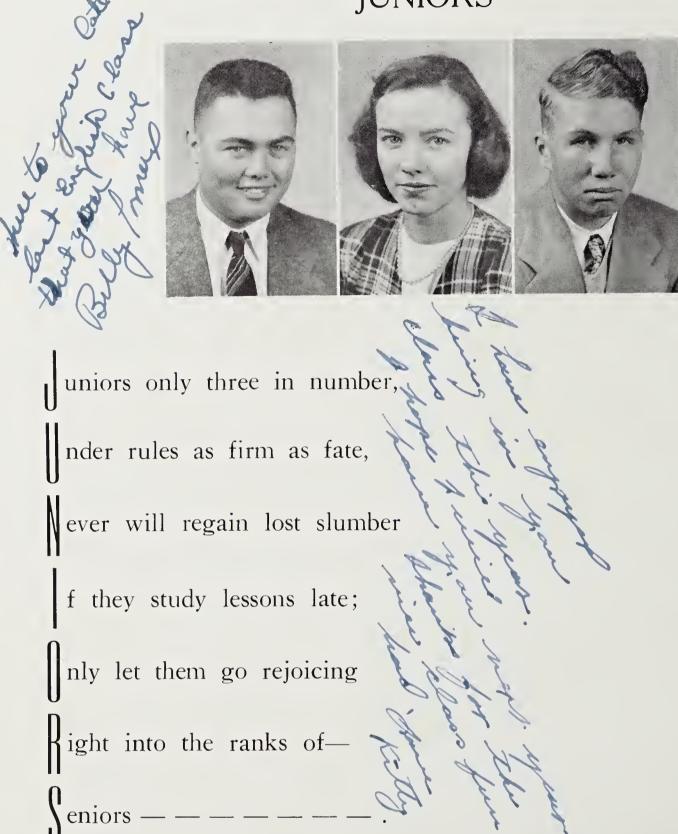
MOST SCHOOL SPIRITED—Mary Moore and Joe Perkins

"If at times your ears are ringing, It is Mary and Joe singing.

10. MOST LIKELY TO SUCCEED—MAXINE WATTS AND BOYD MITCHELL

"The way that Maxine and Boyd proceed, They will be the Most Likely To Succeed."

JUNIORS



WILLIAM LOMAX CATHERINE LOMAX JOHNNY STONER

The change in the school curriculum making twelve years the standard requirement for graduation, has taken its toll at Natural Bridge. This year the Juniors were the "forgotten ones," having a class of only three. Due to the lack of room space the Juniors were adopted this year by the Seniors. Next year they look forward to comprising the most unusual Senior class in the history of N. B. H. S.



Third Row: Lloyd Glenn, Charles Gregory, Mary Lee Harris, Gale Leech, Virginia Marshall, Robert Martin.

FOURTH Row: Frances Mayo, Emory McFaddin, Jimmy McFaddin, Elva Mitchell, Betty Moore, Naola Parker.

FIFTH Row: Mildred Rhodes, Frances Stoner, Marguerite Swartz, Joan Thompson, Truman Thompson, Guy Wallace.

Sixth Row: Doris Watts, Lula Mae West, John Whiteside, Peggy Woodson.





FIFTH Row: Nancy Grow, Frances Johnson.

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FRESHMAN CLASS Mrs. Francis Cauld never have getter anywhere with public peaker as ben ferigon you re feen The best English. tracker have ever had loo ins 1 in to Soud Ness gail come Lace noth year. 3 miles 47 shles First Row—Left to Right: Ward Johnson, Helen Kerr, Sarah Lomax, Jacob Lunsford, Francis Major. Second Row: Barbara Martin, Roy Martin, Lucy Mc-Manamay, Emily Mohler, Lois Moore. THIRD Row: Edwin Osborne, Arnold Reynolds, Mae Rhodes, Dwight Slough, Dorothy Smiley. Fourth Row: Eddie Snider, Nadine Thacker, Jane Thompson, Thelma Vest, Shirley Watkins.

FIFTH Row: Dorothy White, Nellie Worley.

Not Pictured: Theresa Mayo, Marvin McCullough, Ronald McCullough, Betty McFaddin, Nathaniel Moore, Betsy Oglesby, Truman Parker, Roy Reid, Laura Reynolds, Osie Rhodes, Nadine Shepherd, Kenneth Tolley, Robert Webb.

EIGHTH GRADE



First Row—Left to Right: Gladys Austin, Wanda Barger, Sam Blackburn, Berman Coffey, Evelyn Coleman, Gladys Dudley, Bunny Fainter.

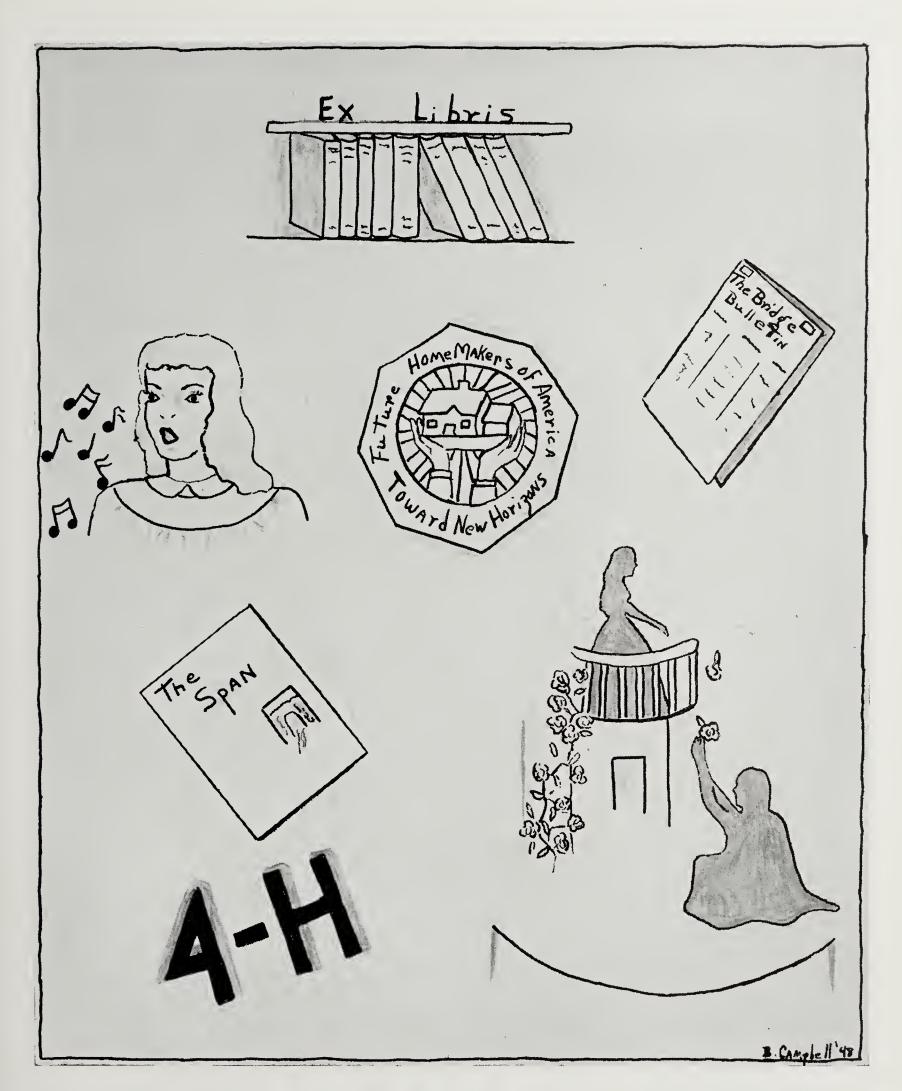
Second Row: Curtis Ferguson, Patsy Francis, Jean Garman, Russell Huffman, Bonnie Jarvis, Helen Johnson, Lulabelle Johnson.

Third Row: Grace Liggett, Frankie Lotts, Kenneth Lotts, Ollie Lotts, Doris Mannon, Ber-

nice Moore, Doris Moore.
Fourth Row: Kyula Parker, Charles Patterson, Raymond Patterson, Elvin Reed, Evelyn Roberts, Fay Rhodes, James Silvea.

Fifth Row: Dorothy Swartz, Harold Thompson, Mary Katherine Thompson, Billy Tolley, Gladys Watkins, R. C. Watts, Bessie Webb.

Not Pictured: James Brown, John Hill, Leonard Hill, Carl Lawhorne, Curtis McDaniel, Arlene Moran, Kathleen Siron, Carl Siron, Houston Taylor.



ACTIVITIES

DRAMATIC CLUB



OFFICERS

SECTION A

President	BETTY CAMPBELL
Vice-President	Joe Perkins
Secretary-Treasurer	Mary Moore
Reporter	Laura Leigh Riley
SECTION B	
President	JACKIE HANNAH
Vice-President	Eddie Snider
Secretary-Treasurer	MAXINE WATTS
Reporter	Charles Gregory

MEMBERS

First Row—Left to Richt: Curtis Ferguson, Laura Riley, Maxine Watts, Joe Perkins, Betty Campbell, Mr. See—Sponsor, Jackie Hannah, Eddie Snider, Mary Moore, Charles Gregory, Gladys Ginger.

Second Row: Nadine Shepherd, Betty Moore, Betty Coffey, Luey McManamay, Wanda Barger, Thelma Vest, Ruby LaRue, Gladys Watkins, Grey Blackburn, Marian McManamay.

Third Row: Sarah Lomax, Joan Dod, Betty McFaddin, Frances Mayo, Catherine Lomax, Mae Rhodes, Kyula Parker, Mary K. Thompson, Helen Kerr.

FOURTH Row: Dorothy Coffey, Betty Jean Campbell, Lorean Dudley, Edison Birmingham, Jimmy McFaddin, Helen Johnson, Patsy Francis, Bessie Webb, Edith, McManamay, Marian Thompson, Flora Ferguson.

Fifth Row: Dorothy White, Betsy Oglesby, Berniee Moore, Dot Smiley, Doris Moore, Roy C. Watts, Henry Miller, Theresa Mayo, Eddie Grow, Roy Martin.

Sixth Row: Barbara Martin, Doris Mannon, Lois Moore, Bill Lomax, Bill Tolley, Arnold Reynolds, Alvin Ferguson.

NOT PICTURED: Leonard Tolley.

DRAMATIC CLUB



The Dramatic Club of Natural Bridge High School, on April 14, 1948, presented the play "Lena Rivers," by Ned Albert.

CAST

Lena Rivers	Laura Leigh Riley
Caroline Livingston	Joan Thompson
Anna Livingston	BETTY CAMPBELL
Mrs. John Livingston	Catherine Lomax
John Livingston, Junior	JIMMY McFaddin
John Livingston, Senior	HENRY MILLER
Granny Nichols	BETTY MOORE
Durward Bellmont	
Malcolm Everett	Jackie Hannah
Mrs. Grahm	Frances Mayo
Frank Grahm	Joe Perkins
Aunt Molly	
Old Caesar	



F. H. A. CLUB

NATURAL BRIDGE CHAPTER

OFFICERS

President	MARY MOORE
Vice-President	
Secretary	MARGUERITE SWARTZ
Treasurer	EDITH MCMANAMAY
Reporter	BETTY CAMPBELL
	Emily Mohler, Marian
	McManamay
Sponsor	Mrs. Virginia Tardy



The N. B. Chapter of the F. H. A. have had one business meeting and one program meeting each month. The programs have been planned around the theme suggested by the State program planning committee. Some of the activities that have been accomplished during the year are:

- 1. Attended the Farm Labor Saving Exhibit, as shown in Lexington by the V. P. I. Extension Division.
- Sixty members attended the District Federation Meeting at Lexington High School in November.
- 3. Participated in the joint community and school annual carnival by preparing and selling sandwiches and drinks.
- 4. Filled five Christmas stockings for the Red Cross to send to The Veterans Hospital in Roanoke, at a cost of approximately \$2.50 each.
- 5. Entertained at a Christmas party in the Home Ec. Dept. for teachers and parents.
- 6. Packed a Christmas box for a needy family.
- Contributed \$10.00 to the March of Dimes Drive.
- 8. Sponsored a costume pageant and dance for the benefit of the school.

- 9. Thirty club members were guests of Miller & Rhoads Department Store in Richmond, on May 4th, for a store tour, fashion show and luncheon.
- 10. Served a banquet to the Ruritan Club on Ladies' Night.
- 11. Attended the Spring District Federation Meeting at Fairfield High School.
 12. Packed a bag of clothing for shipment overseas.
 13. Contributed \$10.00 to camp fund.
 14. Formed and paid 500 of \$1.15 days for each of the 67.

- Earned and paid 50c of \$1.15 dues for each of the 67 club members.
- Paid expenses of delegates to the State Convention at Madison College, June 13-17.
- Sent representatives to camp at Morgarts Beach, Smithfield, Virginia, June 13-17.
- 17. Awarded eligible members of Junior Homemakers de-

MEMBERS

FIRST ROW—LEFT TO RIGHT: Clarice Cash, Emily Mohler Edith McManamay, Catherine Lomax, Mrs. Tardy, Mary Moore, Marguerite Swartz, Betty Campbell, Joan Thompson. Second Row: Dorothy Coffey, Gladys Ginger, Mae Rhodes, Moore, Marguerite Swartz, Betty Campbell, Joan Thompson. Second Row: Dorothy Coffey, Gladys Ginger, Mae Rhodes, Barbara Jean Cash, Betty Moore, Lucy McManamay, Betty Coffey, Helen Kerr, Thelma Vest, Frances Stoner, Osie Rhodes, Helen Blackburn, Frances Wallace. Third Row: Joan Dod, Thelma McDaniel, Catherine Brown, Mildred Rhodes, Ruby LaRue, Marian McManamay, Nadine Shepherd, Betty Jean Campbell, Sarah Lomax, Ann Lewis, Barbara Barger. Fourth Row: Dorothy Smiley, Nadine Thacker, Judy Garrett, Gale Leech, Virginia Marshall, Frances Johnson, Mary Lee Harris, Naola Parker, Laura Leigh Riley, Marian Thompson. Fifth Row: Nancy Grow, Jane Thompson, Lois Moore, Ruby Fainter, Grey Blackburn, Kate Fainter, Helen Huffman, Bernice Altizer, Flora Jane Ferguson, Peggy Woodson. Sixth Row: Barbara Martin, Doris Johnson, Bessie Reynolds, Doris Watts, Betty McFaddin, Lula Mae West, Frances Mayo, Lorean Dudley, Audrey Calhoun.

GLEE CLUB



OFFICERS

President	EDITH McManamay
Vice-President	JACKIE HANNAH
Secretary-Treasurer	
Librarian	
Reporter	

MEMBERS

First Row: Jackie Hannah, Helen Blackburn, Edith McManamay, Mildred Claytor, Jimmy McFaddin.

Second Row: Wanda Barger, Betty Wray Moore, Betty Campbell, Lucy McManamav Jane Thompson, Mary Katherine Thompson, Bonnie Jarvis, Emily Mohler, Maxine Watts.

Тнию Row: Robert See, Jr.—Sponsor, Mary Moore, Helen Johnson, Kate Fainter, Frances Mayo, Catherine Lomax, Joan Thompson, Peggy Woodson, Laura Leigh Riley.

FOURTH Row: Billy Tolley, Edwin Grow, Edison Birmingham, Lloyd Glenn, Joe Perkins, Henry Miller, Eldon Bolt, Eddie Snider.

This year the Glee Club was limited to thirty members, in order that the most promising voices be used to the greatest advantage. Some of the activities in which the songsters participated were a program for the Parent-Teachers Association, a chapel program preceding the Christmas holidays, and commencement exercises.

4-H CLUB



OFFICERS

President	Eddie Grow
Vice-President	PEGGY WOODSON
Secretary-Treasurer	Joan Dod
Reporter	BETTY McFaddin
Song Leader	

MEMBERS

Left—Read Upward: Joan Thompson, Dorothy Swartz, Bessie Webb, Francis Major, James Silvea, Betty McFaddin.

MIDDLE ROW—LEFT TO RIGHT: Joan Dod, Eddie Grow, Peggy Woodson.

RIGHT—READ UPWARD: Kathleen Siron, Elvin Reed, Emily Mohler, Mary Lee Harris, Eddie Snider, Charles Patterson, John Hill.

THE 4-H PLEDGE

I pledge my head to clearer thinking,
My heart to greater loyalty,
My hands to larger service,
And my health to better living
For my club, my community and my country.
4-H Motto: "To Make the Best Better."

The club has sponsored many activities throughout the year '47-'48, and has accomplished many goals under the leadership of Miss Gwathmey and Mr. Williamson.

LIBRARY CLUB



First Row—Left to Right: Doris Moore, Audrey Calhoun, Anne Lewis, Frances Mayo, Joan Thompson, Maxine Watts, Betty Campbell, Peggy Woodson, Mrs. Saurs—Sponsor.

Second Row: Betsy Oglesby, Dorothy Smiley, Bessie Webb, Emily Mohler, Bill Lomax, Ruby LaRue, Patsy Francis, Marguerite Swartz, Mary Moore.

The Library Staff was organized in September, with Mrs. Rosetta Saurs as Sponsor. There were seventeen assistants present. Each assistant librarian is responsible for certain Library duties, such as writing overdue slips for all overdue books, keeping the Library neat and orderely, creating interest in new books, checking and keeping records of all outgoing and incoming books, and giving aid in finding references. Attractive decorations were placed on the bulletin board each month to represent all the holidays.

Approximately 200 new books were added to the 1,813 books the Library already contained. Mr. Poindexter gave the school book amounting to \$150.

Even though librarians find each day a busy one, there is always time for fun. Mrs. Saurs and her librarians planned a delightful Christmas party.

After six months of service Mrs. Saurs left the Library Staff in care of Mrs. Davidson, who finished out the year very successfully.

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LITERARY CLUB



President Maxine Watts
Vice-President Toby Garrett
Secretary Judy Garrett
Treasurer Leonard Tolley
Sponsor Bernice K. Francis

MEMBERS

First Row—Left to Right: Barbara Jean Cash, Jane Thompson, Judy Garrett, Maxine Watts, Leonard Tolley, Mrs. Bernice Francis—Sponsor.

Second Row: Doris Moore, Shirley Watkins, Joan Thompson, Peggy Woodson, Emily Mohler, Dorothy White.

THIRD Row: Francis Major, Toby Garrett, Thomas Branch, Lloyd Glenn, Jimmy McFaddin.

The Literary Club was continued this year with Mrs. Francis again as Sponsor.

The work of the Literary Club is to develop readers, speakers, and spellers for contests in the State. A contestant from each group is chosen by judges to represent the school in a district contest. If they win there they may enter the regional contest and after that, the State contest, held at the University of Virginia early in May.

One of the projects of the club this year was to try to raise funds for the purchase of a wire recorder for the use of the school.

The Following Members	Represented the Group in the District Meeting
Prose Reading	JIMMY McFaddin, Judy Garrett
Public Speaking	LLOYD GLENN, EMILY MOHLER
Poetry Reading	Joan Thompson
	Barbara Jean Cash

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Fainter, Billy Tolley
News ReportersFrances Mayo, Barbara Jean Cash

The *Bridge Bulletin*, our standard printed paper, has just completed another successful year, under the competent editorship of Maxine Watts. Catherine Lomax and Joan Thompson held the assistant editorship. Miss Cynthia Knipp was faculty sponsor as well as typist, and Mr. Robert Childress fell heir to the job of managing the ads, which he did most capably.

MONOGRAM CLUB



First Row—Left to Right: Pete Bare, Henry Miller, Wert Faulkner, Joe Perkins, Mr. Childress, Toby Garrett, William Newell, Curtis Lotts, James McCullough.

Second Row: Eddie Snider, Maurice Blackburn, Jacob Lunsford, Sonny Gilmore, Leonard Tolley, Boyd Mitchell, Emory McFaddin, Bob Martin.

THIRD Row: Edwin Osborne, Bill Lomax, Jimmy Barger, Rudolph Claytor.

OFFICERS

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Vice-President	WERT FAULKNER
Secretary	Pete Bare
Treasurer	Joe Perkins

The activities of the Monogram Club have been limited mostly to raising money to pay for athletic equipment. "All work and no play makes Johnny a dull boy," so the club sponsored a Christmas dance. After so long a time, things began rolling, and it turned out to be rather successful.

Each member wishes to express his most hearty appreciation and thanks to the sponsor, Mr. Robert Childress, for his untiring patience and help that made the Monogram Club a success this year.

SCIENCE CULB



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Third Row: Jimmy McFaddin, Elva Mitchell, Mildred Rhodes, Doris Watts, Bessie Webb, Audrey Calhoun, Marguerite Swartz, Naola Parker, Charles Gregory, Manson Roberts, Sam Blackburn.

Fourth Row: Nathaniel Moore, John Whiteside, Eddie Grow, Russell Huffman, Kenneth Lotts, Thomas Branch, Leonard Tolley, Charles Patterson, Arnold Reynolds, Houston Taylor, John Hill, Alvin Ferguson, Jacob Lunsford.

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SecretaryGRACIE ALFORD	SecretaryMary Thompson
TreasurerEddie Snider	TreaasurerJames Firebaugh

The Science Club met for the first time in September. Due to the large number of members it was divided into two groups.

This organization serves as a means by which students can learn more concerning science and cultivate skills and talents along this same line. Besides these, learning to work for the joy of working makes the club members more conscious of their actions.

SPAN STAFF

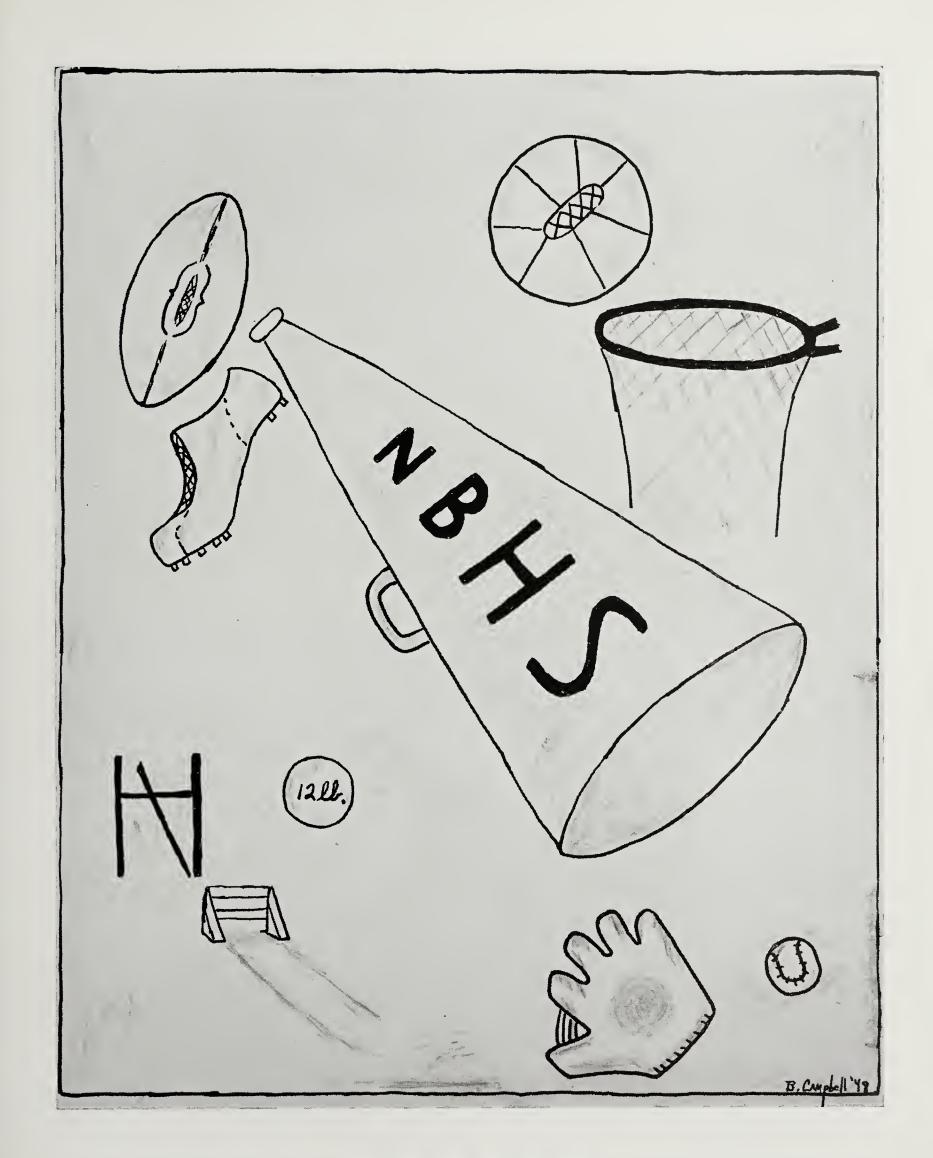


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Eighth B

At a meeting early in November, the Senior Class, with the help of a faculty committee, elected three of the most important members of The Span Staff, editor and associate editors. Other staff members were elected primarily by the Senior Class, with the exception of the representatives, who were elected from each homeroom to assist the staff.

The Span Staff wishes to express its appreciation to Miss Beverly Ryland and Miss Jean White for their loyal leadership, in sponsoring the 1948 Annual.

We also wish to thank Betty Campbell and William Newell for their art work, Mr. Reveley for his help in obtaining ads, Mrs. Tardy for her helpful suggestions, and others who have not been actual members of the staff, but who have helped to make possible the success of this volume. Without these "Unsung Heroes" the annual could never have gone to press on time!



SPORTS

FOOTBALL

The "Blue Atomics" began the 1947 season under the same faithful coach of last year, Robert "Pop" Childress.

The season began with an early practice before school opened. After vigorous training and practice the team got underway by the election of its leaders, cocaptains James McCullough and Toby Garrett.

The "Big Blues" almost started from scratch this year because a majority of the squad were Freshmen and Sophomores. There were only five lettermen on the squad, who were all Seniors.

A silver cup was presented to the school by the Ruritan Club of Natural Bridge District in 1945, for the names of the outstanding players each season. The names to be engraved on the cup this year are William Newell, linesman, and Henry Miller, back.

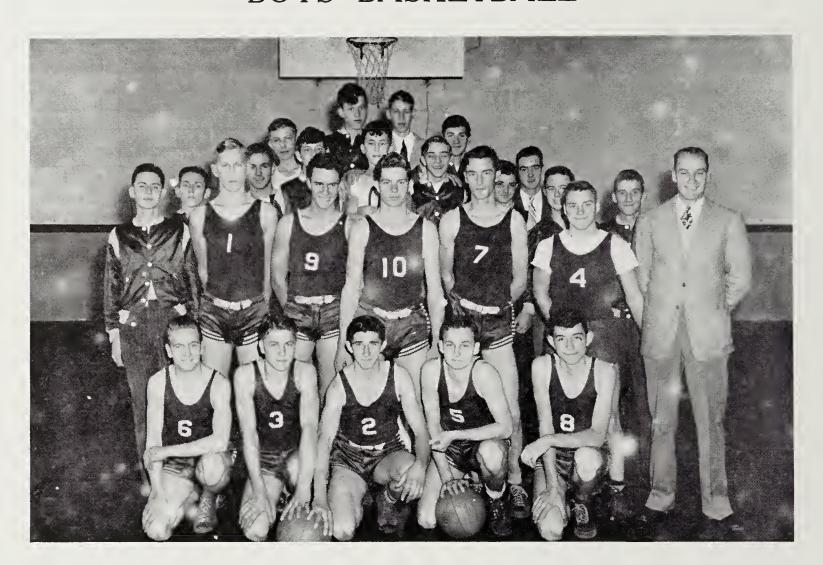
The outgoing scniors who have played their last game for the Alma Mater wish the 1948 team the best of luck for a good scason.

1947 SCHEDULE

Natural	Bridge	0	Bedford28
Natural	Bridge	0	Valley High 6
Natural	Bridge	6	Low Moor19
Natural	Bridge	2	Miller 6
Natural	Bridge	6	Bassett 7
Natural	Bridge	25	Appomattox 0
Natural	Bridge	40	Amherst 0
Natural	Bridge	0	Buena Vista26
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BOYS' BASKETBALL



First Row—Left to Right: Eldon Bolt, Rudolph Claytor, William Newell—Captain, Wert Faulkner, Lloyd Glenn.

Second Row: Jimmy McFaddin, Pete Bare, Marshall Flint, Emory McFaddin, Jim Mccullough, Eddie Snider, Mr. Childress—Coach.

Third Row: Bobby Martin, Maurice Blackburn, Ward Johnson, Charles Gregory, Norvell Woodward, Loyd Thompson, Edison Birmingham, William Baldock.

FOURTH Row: Arnold Reynolds, Jake Lunsford, Sonny Major, Jimmy Barger, Thomas Branch—Manager.

Natural Bridge.	27 N. B. Bo	ys Camp16	Natural	Bridge24	Effinger	30
Natural Bridge.	29 Brownsb	urg63	Natural	Bridge25	$\operatorname{Bedford}$	56
Natural Bridge.	19 Eagle R	ock32	Natural	Bridge33	Fincastle	29
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Natural Bridge.	22 Fincastle	27	Natural	Bridge30	Fairfield	38
Natural Bridge.	21 Eagle R	ock37	Natural	Bridge37	Effinger	39
Natural Bridge.	27 Buchana	n30	Natural	Bridge41	Bedford	55
Natural Bridge.	24 Fairfield	34		-		

The Players Total Points for the Season Are

Blackburn	166	Faulkner	19
Newell	90	Bare	
Osborne		Barger	12
Claytor		Glenn	3
McFaddin	32	Flint	
McCullough		Snider	2

GIRLS' BASKETBALL



FIRST ROW—LEFT TO RIGHT: Betty Campbell, Jean Leech.

Second Row: Gale Leech, Ruby LaRue, Virginia Claytor, Helen Blackburn, Joan Thompson, Mildred Claytor, Mildred Rhodes, Maxine Watts, Thelma Vest.

Third Row: Coach Virginia Tardy, Jane Thompson, Kitty Lomax, Laura Leigh Riley, Betty Coffey, Mae Rhodes, Betty McFaddin, Shirley Watkins, Dorothy Smiley, Lucy McManamay, and Manager Mary Moore.

The girls' basketball team had a very successful (1947-48) season under the leadership and coaching of Mrs. Virginia Tardy.

Out of a total of 16 games the girls won 11, tied 1, lost 4. The total loss in points for the season was only seven.

Five of the six first string players ended their high school basketball with the last game this season. Outstanding players to graduate are Mildred Claytor, Jean Leech, Virginia Claytor, Guards; Maxine Watts and Betty Campbell, Forwards.

Jean Leech was elected Captain or the squad, with Betty Campbell, Co-Captain. Mary Moore was chosen Manager.

Natural	Bridge26	Brownsburg19	Natural Bridge30	Effinger21
Natural	Bridge38	Eagle Rock27	Natural Bridge20	Bedford19
Natural	Bridge39	Troutville40	Natural Bridge29	Fincastle23
Natural	Bridge24	Brownsburg21	Natural Bridge17	Buchanan17
Natural	Bridge27	Fincastle30	Natural Bridge32	Troutville33
Natural	Bridge22	Eagle Rock19	Natural Bridge35	Fairfield15
Natural	Bridge26	Buchanan16	Natural Bridge23	Effinger25
Natural	Bridge28	Fairfield19	Natural Bridge36	Bedford24

The Players Total Points for the Season Are

Maxine Watts	166	Helen Blackburn50	0
Betty Campbell	121	Betty Coffey	5
Joan Thompson	106	Gale Leech	3

CHEER LEADERS



SQUAD

Left то Right: Barbara Barger, Anne Lewis, Grey Blackburn, Sarah Lomax, Judy Garrett, Barbara Martin, Peggy Woodson, Joan Dod.

Not Picture: Gracie Alford, faithful leader, who has worked so hard to keep the Cheer Leaders cheering.

"Come on blue,

Come on white,

Come on team,

Let's fight, fight, fight."

The Cheer Leaders of N. B. H. S., consisting of eight regular Cheer Leaders and one substitute, have been in full swing this year. All Cheer Leaders are new this year except Gracie Alford, Barbara Barger and Anne Lewis.

At the end of the football season the Cheer Leaders entertained the team with a Thanksgiving party at the home of Barbara Barger.

The Cheer Leaders wish to express their appreciation to Mrs. Saurs and Mrs. Francis for the guidance and cooperation for 1947-'48 and are looking forward to a new and prosperous year of 1948-'49.

RAH-RAY

HAPPENINGS

September 4	School OpenedWere you there?
September 24	Senior Rings"Mine's red—what color is yours?"
October 17	First Report"What did you make?"
October 20	Election DayStudent Government officers were elected and later went to S. C. A. Convention in Fredericksburg.
November 4	F.H.A. District MeetingLexington High School was bubbling over with girls.
November 20-22	Ruritan Carnival"Did yon win a Bingo prize?"
December 1	Span pictures were taken"Now smile, please!"
December 19	Basketball Brownsburg"Hurrah, for the girls!"
December 19	Christmas Holidays begin"Jingle bells! Jingle!"
January 5	Holidays end"Good times come to an end!"
January 21-23	Exams
February 24	Homecoming GameBedford sighs while N. B. rings with joy!
February 27	Basketball King and QueenMaurice Lee Blackburn and Jean Leech, crowned with titles before Senior Dance. Need we say more?
March 5	Girl and Boy Basketball "Did yon see Bill tumble over Max?" Also Game Cake-Walk; "Edith, who did you divide your cake with?"
March 9	Magazine ContestMake money easily! Sell magazines.
March 18	Spelling Match"Jerry, spell cat." "K-A-T."
March 19	Freshmen Party
March 24	Literary District Meeting Public Speaking ???
April 9	Eighth Grade Party"Miçe on Parade."
April 14	Dramatic Club Play"What goes on backstage?"
April 23	Costume Pageant
May 1	Sophomore-Senior Prom"Is everybody happy?"
May 7	Music Festival"Sing louder, louder, still louder."
May 14	Basketball PartyFnll of fonls and fancy goals.
May 27	Senior PlayFnn and fnll of folly; that describes the senior play.
May 28	Scnior Banquet"We ate, drank, and were merry."
May 30	Baccalaureate Scrmon
June 2	Commencement"I was not excited when I shook Reve's hand, because when he handed me my Diploma, I was a free man."

SENIOR DIRECTORY

ALTIZER, BERNICE

Glee Club, 1; Literary Club, 1; F. H. A., 2, 3, 4; Bridge Bulletin, 1, 4; Class Reporter, 1; Circulation Assistant, 4.

Austin, Corrine

Home Economics Club, 1; Literary Club, 1; Student Government, 1, 2, 3; Bridge Bulletin, 4; Span Staff, 4; Assistant Editor, 4; Softball, 3, 4; Co-Captain, 4; Salutatorian.

BARE, EDWIN

Football, 3, 4; Basketball, 3, 4; Monogram, 3, 4.

CAMPBELL, BETTY

Dramatic Club, 1, 2, 3, 4; Vice-President, 1; Reporter, 3; President, 4; Literary Club, 3; Reporter, 3; Glee Club, 1, 2, 3, 4; F. H. A. Club, 1, 2, 3, 4; Reporter, 1, 2, 4; Vice-President, 3; Bridge Bulletin, 1, 2, 3, 4; Feature Editor, 4; Span Staff, 2, 4; Photographic Editor, 4; Vice-President of Class, 1; Class Secretary, 3, 4; Basketball, 1, 3, 4; Co-Captain, 4; Assistant Librarian, 4.

CLAYTOR, MILDRED

Glee Club, 1, 4; Secretary-Treasurer, 4; F. H. A. Club, 2, 3; Softball, 3; Basketball, 2, 3, 4; Literary Society, 1.

CLAYTOR, RUDOLPH

Dramatic Club, 1, 2; Glee Club, 1, 2; Football, 4; Baseball, 3, 4; Basketball, 4; Track, 4; Monogram Club, 4.

CLAYTOR, VIRGINIA

Glee Club, 1; F. H. A. Club, 3; Softball, 3, 4; Basketball, 3, 4; Literary Society, 1.

Conner, Peggy

Transfer from Effinger H. S.

FAINTER, RUBY

F. H. A. Club, 1, 2, 3, 4; Literary Society, 1, 2.

FAULKNER, WERT

Mongram Club, 3, 4; Vice-President, 4; Baseball, 1, 4; Basketball, 1, 2, 3, 4; Football, 1, 2, 3, 4.

FERGUSON, FLORA JANE

Transfer; Glee Club, 3; Dramatic Club, 4; F. H. A. Club, 4; Bridge Bulletin Staff, 4; Assistant Circulation Manager, 4.

GARRETT, TOBY

Literary Society, 1; Literary Club, 3, 4; Vice-President, 4; Dramatic Club, 1, 2; Glee Club, 1, 2; Monogram Club, 3, 4; President, 4; Football, 3, 4; Co-Captain, 4; Bridge Bulletin Staff, 4; Sports Editor, 4.

Grow, Edwin

Literary Club, 1, 2, 3; Dramatic Club, 1, 2, 3, 4; Glee Club, 1, 2, 3, 4; 4-H Club, 2, 3, 4; President, 4; Secretary-Treasurer, 2; Track Manager, 2; Cheer Leader, 2.

HANNAH, JACKIE

Glee Club, 1, 2, 4; Vice-President, 4; Literary Club, 3; Track, 4; Dramatic Club, 4; President, 4.

HARRISON, MARGARET

F. H. A. Club, 1, 2; Glee Club; Literary Club, 1, 2.

HUFFMAN, HELEN

Glee Club, 1; F. H. A. Club, 2, 3, 4; Literary Club, 1; Dramatic Club, 1.

LaRue, Ruby

F. H. A. Club, 1, 2, 3, 4; Literary Club, 1, 2, 3; Glee Club, 2, 3; Basketball, 3, 4; Softball, 3, 4; Bridge Bulletin Staff, 4; Span Staff, 2, 4; Assistant Librarian, 4.

LEECH, JEAN

Glee Club, 1; Span Staff, 4; F. H. A. Club, 3; Sport Editor, 4; Softball, 3, 4, Captain, 4; Basketball, 1, 2, 3, 4, Co-Captain, 3, Captain, 4.

LINK, GLADYS

Literary Society, 1; F. H. A. Club, 1, 2, 4; Dramatic Club, 4.

SENIOR DIRECTORY

(Continued)

McCullough, James

Football, 2, 3, 4; Co-Captain, 4; Basketball, 3, 4; Monogram Club, 3, 4.

McManamay, Edith

Student Govt., 1; Literary Club, 1, 2, 3; Dramatic Club, 1, 2, 4; Glee Club, 1, 2, 3, 4; President, 4; F. H. A. Club, 1, 2, 3, 4; Program Chairman, 3; Treasurer, 4; Span Staff, 3, 4; Class Reporter, 3; Editor, 4; Bridge Bulletin Staff, 2, 3, 4; Reporter, 2, 3; Exchange Editor, 4; Basketball, 2, 3; Softball, 1; School Pianist, 4; Program Chairman of Class, 2, 3.

MILLER, HENRY

Football, 1, 2, 3, 4; Track, 1, 2, 3, 4; Baseball, 1, 4; Dramatic Club, 2, 4; Glee Club, 1, 2, 3, 4; Vice-President of Class, 1; Monogram Club, 2, 3, 4; Literary Club, 1.

MITCHELL, BOYD

Class President, 1, 4; Vice-President, 3; Literary Club, 1, 3; President, 3; Football, 1, 2, 3, 4; Glee Club, 1, 2, 3; Span Staff, 4, Assistant Editor, 4.

Moore, Mary

Literary Club, 1, 2, 3; Dramatic Club, 1, 2, 3, 4; Secretary, 4; Glee Club, 1, 2, 4; Bridge Bulletin Staff, 3, 4; Circulation Manager, 3; Sports Editor, 4; Span Staff, 1, 2, 4; Business Manager, 4; F. H. A., 1, 2, 3, 4; Scrap Book Editor, 3; President, 4; Assistant Librarian, 4; Softball, 1, 2, 3; Basketball, 3, 4; Manager, 3, 4.

NEWELL, WILLIAM

Basketball, 3, 4; Baseball, 3, 4; Student Government Rep., 4; Span Staff, 4; Football, 4; Track, 4; Monogram Club, 4.

PERKINS, JOE

Glee Club, 1, 2, 3, 4; Dramatic Club, 2, 3, 4; Vice-President, 4; Student Government Rep., 3; President Student Government, 4; Monogram Club Treasurer, 4; Vice-President of Class, 4.

REYNOLDS, BESSIE

Literary Club, 1; Dramatic Club, 1; F. H. A. Club, 1, 2, 4; Softball, 3.

RILEY, LAURA LEIGH

Glec Club, 3, 4; Dramatic Club Reporter, 4; Basketball, 4; F. H. A. Club, 4; Softball, 4; Bridge Bulletin Staff, 4.

SLOUGH, DOROTHY

Glee Club, 1; Dramatic Club, 1; F. H. A. Club, 2, 3; Literary Society, 1.

THOMPSON, LLOYD

Basketball, 4; Literary Club, 1, 2.

THOMPSON, MARIAN

F. H. A. Club, 2, 3, 4; Program Chairman, 4; Basketball, 3; Literary Club, 1, 2, 3; Reporter, 1; Bridge Bulletin Staff, 2, 3, 4; Reporter, 2, 3; Circulation Manager, 4; Dramatic Club, 1, 2, 4; Glee Club, 1, 2, 3; Class Reporter on Span Staff, 4.

Tolley, Leonard

Glee Club, 1, 2, 3, 4; Dramatic Club, 1, 2, 3, 4; Literary Club, 1, 2, 3, 4; Treasurer, 4; Bridge Bulletin Staff, 2, 3; Assistant Circulation Manager, 3; Class Program Chairman, 2; Track, 1, 2, 3, 4; Science Club, 4; 4-H Club, 3, 4; Vice-President, 3; Class Reporter, 1; Basketball Manager, 3; Cheer Leader, 1,

WATTS, MAXINE

Glee Club, 1, 2, 3, 4; Treasurer, 3; Dramatic Club, 1, 2, 3, 4; Treasurer, 3; Secretary-Treasurer, 4; Literary Club, 3, 4; President, 4; Student Government Representative, 4; Secretary, 4; Bridge Bulletin Staff, 1, 2, 3, 4; Assistant Editor, 3; Editor, 4; Span Staff, 1, 2, 4; Class Representative, 2, 4; Basketball, 2, 3, 4; Sofeball, 2; Treasurer of Class, 4; Class Reporter, 2; Library Assistant, 1, 2, 4; Valedictorian.

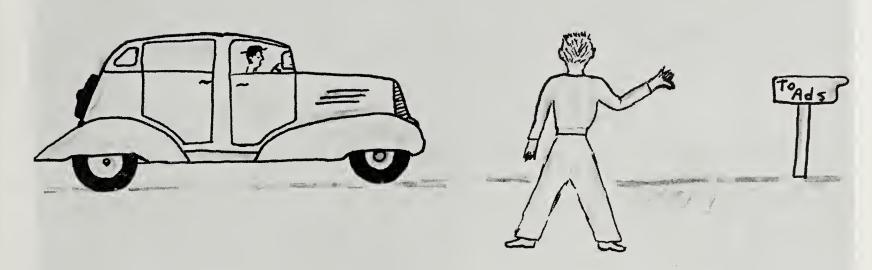
Woodward, Norvell

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